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ADULTS ONLY
LAST GASP
A WORLD PEACE TREATY
WAS SIGNED ON THIS SPOT
BY ALL THE NATIONS OF THE
EARTH.
JULY 19

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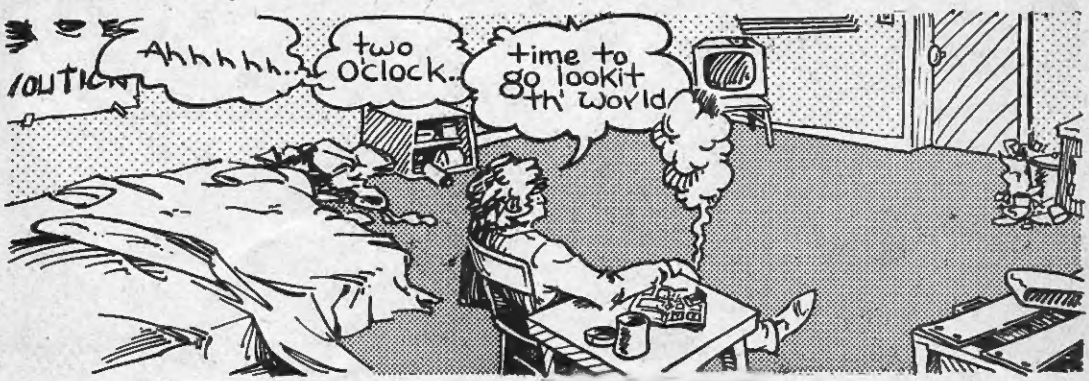
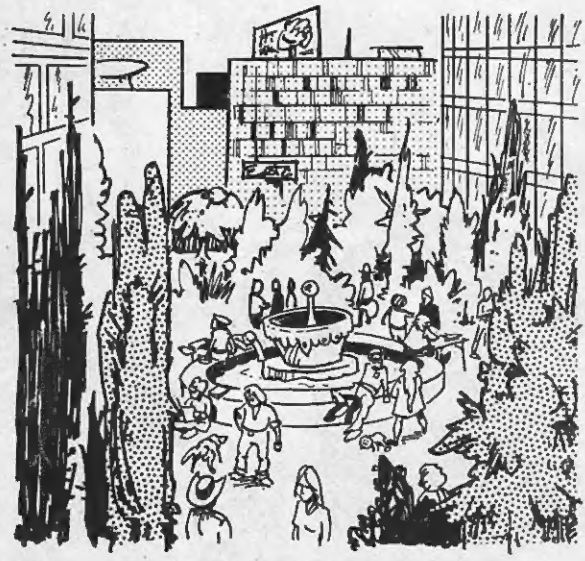
EYES OF THE BEHOLDER

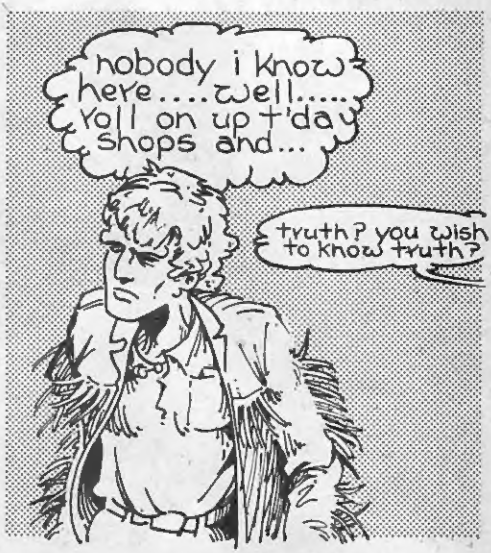


SGT

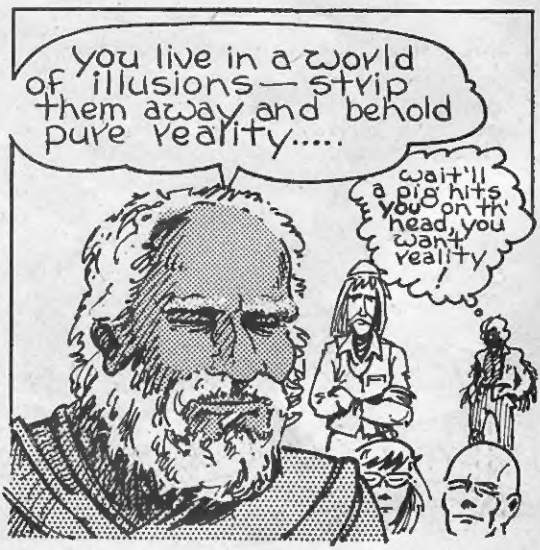
SHAKE
SHAKE
SLAM
RATTLE
SHAKE

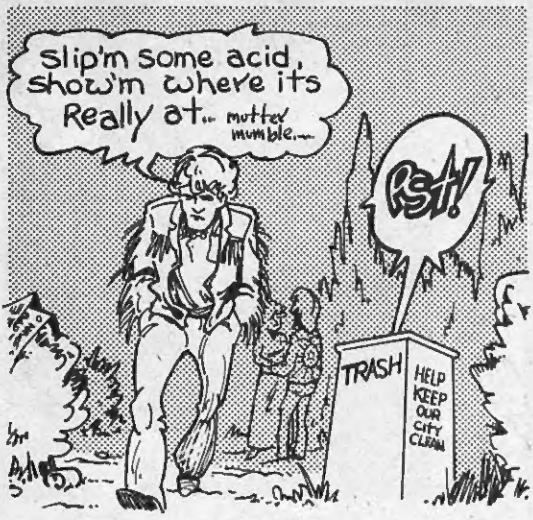
Godhamm... guess i'll go t'da park...




nobody i know here.... well..... roll on up t'da shops and...
truth? you wish to know truth?

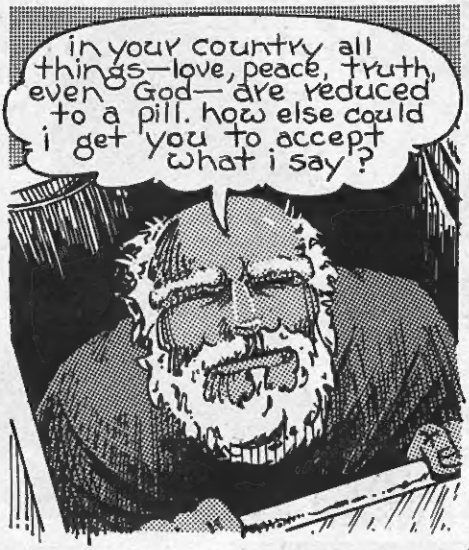
★◎~*!! 'nother a those veligious nuts —all talk + smiles + no action....


you live in a world of illusions — strip them away and behold pure reality.....
wait'll a pig hits you on th' head, you want reality!


slip'm some acid, show'm where its Really at... mutter mumble...
Pst!
TRASH
HELP KEEP OUR CITY CLEAN

take this pill, please— it will reveal to you a truth.
AWK! what the fuck spoffle

...a..
..pill..
what else ?


in your country all things—love, peace, truth, even God— are reduced to a pill. how else could i get you to accept what i say?

this pill'll make me smart, huh? will it get me off?
that is not what i said.

it will show you truth only. what you do with that is up to you.... i can only say further that it will be, ah, heavy, man.
dynamite, man! GULP

nuthin' too heavy for me.
Hey! where'd he go?
he got outta there as quick as he got in. fay out.
wonder what he takes?
HELP KEEP OUR CITY CLEAN

well...now when does it take off?
...and how...
SCREECH
THUD
EEEEEEEEE
my dog you hit my dog!
i'm sorry, he ran rite out in fronta me, i'm sorry...
my dog
my dog
A MACHINE! a robot dog with hair... what the hell IS this?
Hey look, there's Michael!
HEY Mike!
Hi, man. Hey, we jus' got some food...
hash
..wanna come over and help us do it up?
Red Mountain
guess not...
far out
far out
EEEYAAAAAAA

SHAKE
BAM
HOME made it, GASP!
SHAKE
Whew! safe. no robot things in here....
..except...
KLIK
blip squawk
bibble recap of daysheadlines before flipblip
babble babble babble
babble babble babble
babble babble babble
i KNEW it i KNEW it
then they're in control! how far have they gotten? how many are they?
babble great manbabble leaderbabble willbbabble
can't something be done? is it too late? who did this?
Who has the Power?
rally tomo
opening add
followed by
babble
him!
yesyes, all our political leaders WOULD be robot things! can i be sure? i'll check HIM out; i'll start with the big one first...

i'll get them, one by one..
what if they find out i know?
who are THEY?
they? people from another planet?
scien-tologists?
...how, how long has this been going on?
has anyone else ever found out before?
that Guru, he knew— i may have brothers somewhere...
morning...
oh God, there are thousands of them—how'd it all happen?
...just don't understand how come i never noticed it before. is someone substituting or are we all being transformed?
hey Mike, goin' down to the rally for th' action?
gotta do Something before its too late...
now

afternoon
MY FRIENDS...
KRAK!
AND YOU ARE MY
URK
Squee
POP
HANG
SPROING
I Got 'M!
he WAS a robot, flew to bits, I Got 'M!
there he is!

BAM
BAM
POW
KA BAM
BAAM!
KRAK
SPAT
O.K. O.K.
Get those People outta here!
get this mess cleaned up!
fuck photogra
FAST!
too many people.
lemme see
make way for the morgue attendents
outta th way!
who bought it?
what happened?
ahh, some nut got his wires crossed + ran amuck..
yeah... happens now'n then.. well....
we'll take'm back and rewire him...
...and before ya know it, he'll be a new man!
end.

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SAN FRANCISCO: 2001 — THE DAWN OF A NEW MILLENIUM ON AN EARTH WHERE MAN LIVES IN HARMONY WITH HIS BROTHERS AND WITH NATURE...

... AN EARTH WHERE THE MACHINES OF WAR HAVE STILLED... WHERE THERE IS AMPLE FOOD FOR ALL, AND MAN RELAXES IN HIS WORK...

IT'S A BEAUTIFUL WORLD, TOMMY!

PASS ME THAT JOINT, PAL.

YEAH, THE BROTHERS AND SISTERS REALLY DID GET IT TO-GETHER!

A FEW "PEACE OFFICERS" PAT-ROL THE POLLUTION FREE SKIES OF A CITY WITHOUT CRIME...

THIS MUST BE THE AGE OF AQUARIUS!

THAT'S WHAT THEY CALL IT!

YES, THE AGE OF AQUARIUS .. THE AEON OF LOVE! UNIVERSAL BIRTH CONTROL HAS STABALIZED THE POPULATION AND FREED MAN FROM HIS SEXUAL TABOOS!

LOOK! A LOVE IN!

LOVE IS EVERYWHERE! AND YOUTH! IN 1975 SCIENCE CONQUERED THE AGING PROCESS.. SINCE 1980 THE DEATH RATE HAS DWINDLED TO ALMOST ZERO!

LET'S CHECK OUT THIS SCENE, TOMMY!

PEACE

ME NATURAL FOODS

SLURP

SUCK

OOOH! TH' PIGS!

PEACE 'N' LOVE, SISTER!

HOW DO YOU GUYS LIKE BEIN' PIGS?

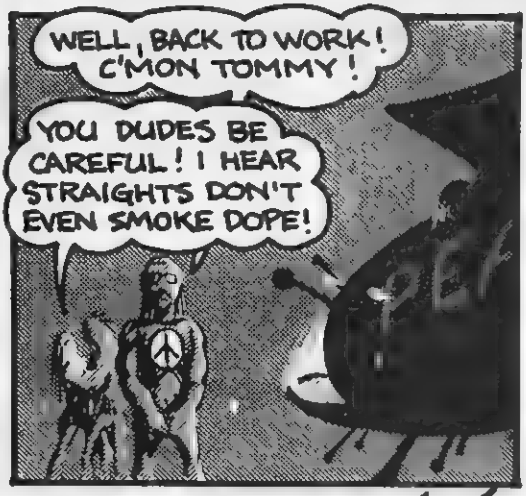
WELL..

...AINT SO BAD, IS IT TOMMY?

NAW!

MMG

HEY FELLAS.. I HATE TO INTERRUPT YA, BUT WE GOT A REPORT OF STRAIGHTS SEEN IN YOUR PATROL AREA!
AW SHIT!
SHLUP!


WELL, BACK TO WORK! C'MON TOMMY!
YOU DUDES BE CAREFUL! I HEAR STRAIGHTS DON'T EVEN SMOKE DOPE!

FUCKIN STRAIGHTS MAN!
... COMPUTER'S TRACKED 'EM TO A WAREHOUSE ON 17TH AND MISSOURI!
YEAH.. MAKES ME NERVOUS! LET'S TOKE DOWN 'FORE WE HIT 'EM!

YEP! IT'S STRAIGHTS ALRIGHT!
BLAM
BLAM

... THEY GOT THOSE FUCKIN' ANTIQUE GUNS TOO.... BETTER SUIT UP!

BLAM
BLAM
STUN LASER
GOT TWO OF 'EM! LET'S GO IN!
LEAVE US ALONE YA FAGGOT COPS!
BLAM BLAM
YOUR KIND WILL NEVER TELL US WHAT TO DO!
BL
BLAM
YOU FUCKHEADS WILL NEVER LEARN!
SSS
FAP

HEY, EASY WITH THAT STUNNER- WE DONT WANT TO HURT THEM!
OOPS!
YAA!
FWAM

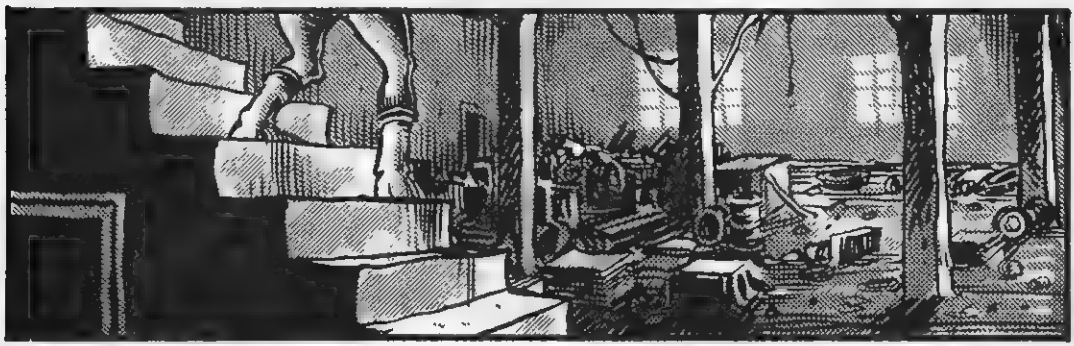
MAN- A WORLD OF PEACE AND JOY, AN' THESE BASTARDS WANT TO RUIN IT!
THIS ONE'S STILL CONCIOUS!

WHERE'S YER WOMEN, MISTER?
WHYN'T YA JUST KILL ME FAGGOT!?!

SPLAT
PTU!

LET'S CHECK OUT THE BUILDING, TOMMY!

THIS GUY REMINDS ME TOO MUCH OF MY FATHER!



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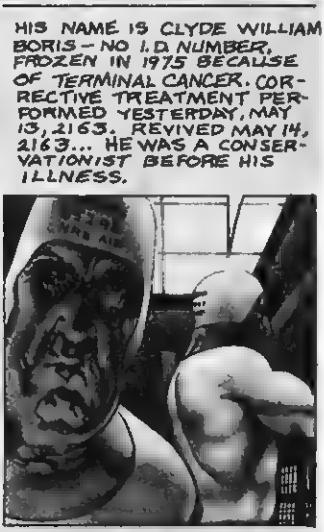
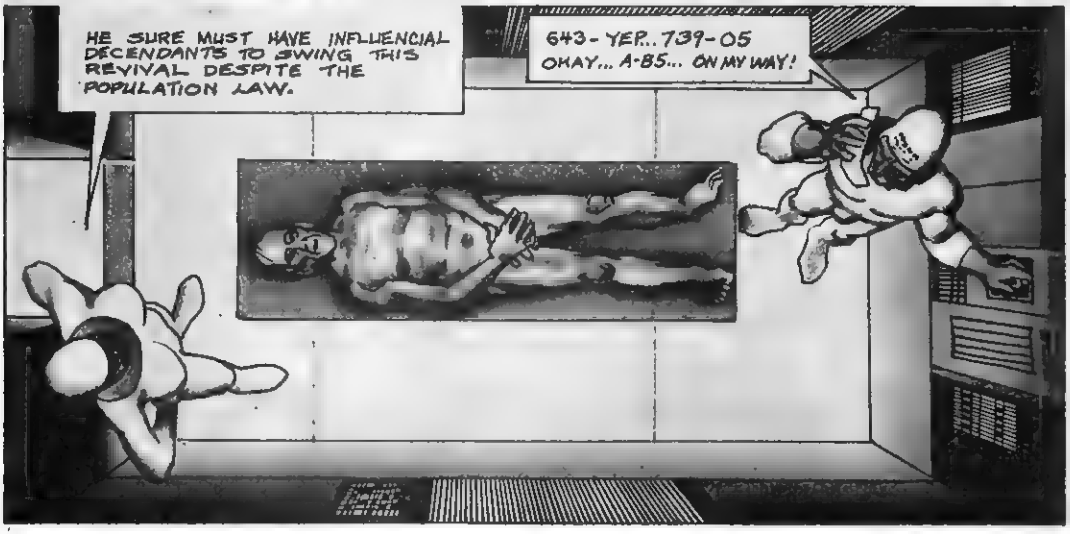
ICY COLD BLACK... VELVET...
A SCRATCHING AT MY NUMBED BRAIN...
SOMETHING IS HAPPENING.
THE AWA KEN ING
WHERE AM I?...
WHAT IS IT?...

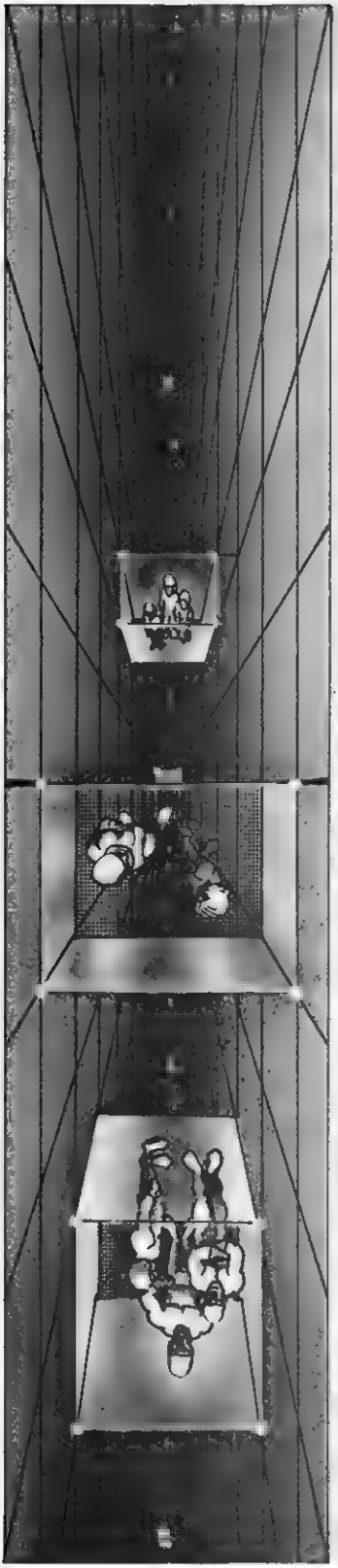
HE'S COMING TO.

YES, THIS NEW THAW MACHINE PULLS 'EM OUT FASTER THAN THE OTHER ONE DID.
RV TECH


HIS NAME IS CLYDE WILLIAM BORIS – NO I.D. NUMBER, FROZEN IN 1975 BECAUSE OF TERMINAL CANCER. CORRECTIVE TREATMENT PERFORMED YESTERDAY, MAY 13, 2163. REVIVED MAY 14, 2163... HE WAS A CONSERVATIONIST BEFORE HIS ILLNESS.


HE SURE MUST HAVE INFLUENCIAL DECENDANTS TO SWING THIS REVIVAL DESPITE THE POPULATION LAW.
643-YEP.. 739-05 OKAY... A-85... ON MY WAY!

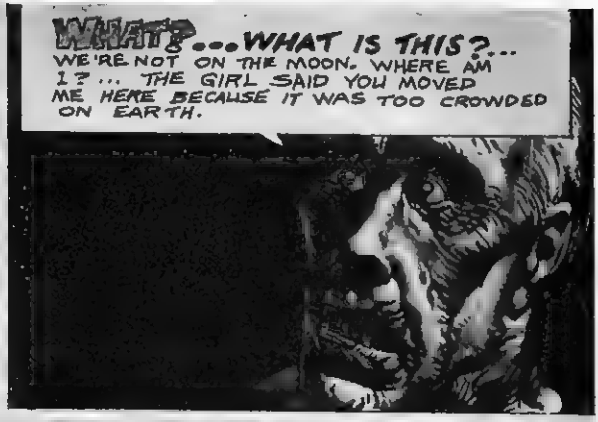
OKAY CLYDE WILLIAM BORIS, GET UP AND DRESSED. YOU'RE DUE IN DOCTOR SPIKES OFFICE IN 10 MINUTES FOR ORIENTATION.
UUNNH... OOH MY HEAD!
C'MON CLYDE, DON'T MAKE ME LATE FOR MY 08:10 POT BREAK.
EVERYTHING IS SO STRANGE.
THIS WAY! THE ELEVATOR'S THIS WAY.



GET IN THIS SURFACE CAR, POPS - WE'VE GOT TO GO OUTSIDE TO GET TO DR. SPIKES BUILDING.
OH GOD! THIS ISN'T WHERE I WAS FROZEN!
LOCK

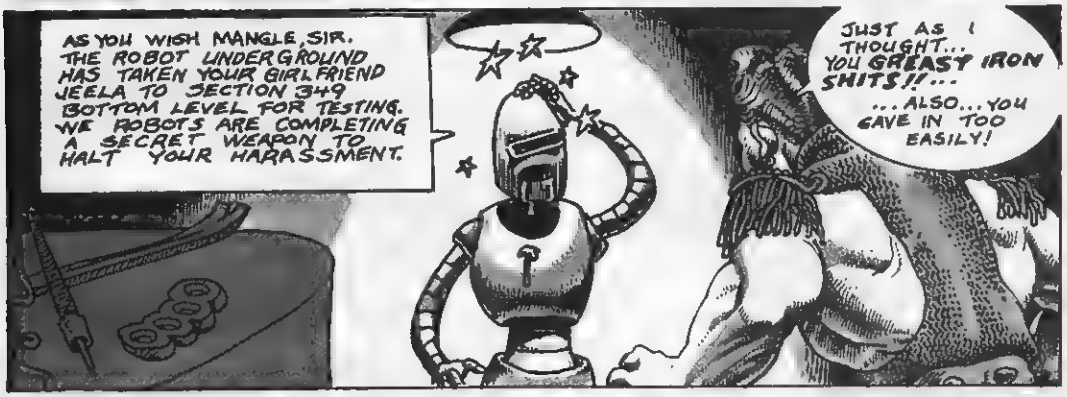
SETTLE DOWN! YOU WERE BROUGHT HERE IN 2105 BECAUSE IT WAS TOO CROWDED WHERE YOU WERE STORED.
IT'S FANTASTIC!

SIT DOWN AND WAIT HERE. DOCTOR SPIKE WILL BE HERE PRESENTLY.
THANK YOU FOR YOUR TENDER CARE AND KIND UNDERSTANDING.



CALM YOURSELF BORIS. YES, YOU WERE MOVED FROM THE MOUNT SLUMBERLAND FREEZING FACILITIES,... BUT THAT IS ONLY 25 SURFACE MILES FROM HERE. WHAT ON **EARTH** MADE YOU THINK YOU WERE ON THE **MOON??**

MANGLE, ROBOT MANGLER
YOU STEEL STOOLIE!
WHANG


AS YOU WISH MANGLE, SIR. THE ROBOT UNDERGROUND HAS TAKEN YOUR GIRLFRIEND JEELA TO SECTION 349 BOTTOM LEVEL FOR TESTING. WE ROBOTS ARE COMPLETING A SECRET WEAPON TO HALT YOUR HARASSMENT.
JUST AS I THOUGHT... YOU GREASY IRON SHITS!!...
...ALSO... YOU GAVE IN TOO EASILY!

-JUST ANSWERING YOUR INQUIRY SIR
WHANG
SQUEEEEEEEE

HAUGH!!
BLANG
SQUEEK

BLAP

DIE!

SECTION 348, BOTTOM LEVEL EH? I'LL TEACH THEM TYRANICAL TINKER TOYS A LESSON!
346
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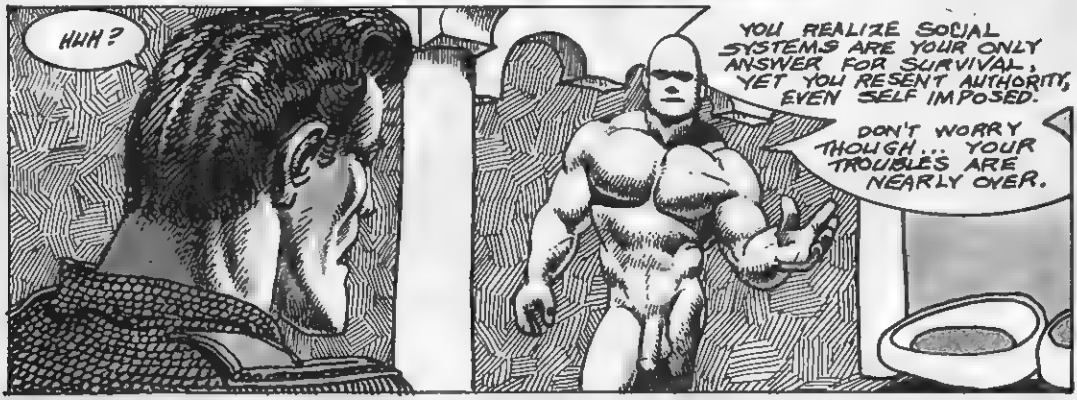
PLEASE SIR, DO NOT EXCITE YOUR SELF.
SQUEEEEEEE
I LOVE THAT SQUEEEEEE SOUND THEY MAKE WHEN YA HURT 'EM.
GLANG
OKAY, WHERE'S THEM FUCKIN FABRICATIONS?!

HELLO MANGLE. I'M GLAD YOU FINALLY ARRIVED. MY NAME IS MADA. I'M THE FIRST OF THE NEW SPECIES THAT WILL TAKE MAN'S PLACE AS THE DOMINANT ANIMAL ON EARTH!

CONFUSED? THE ROBOTS CREATED ME, NOT OF METAL LIKE THEM, BUT OF ORGANIC PLASTICS, ... SUPERIOR TO MAN MENTALLY AND PHYSICALLY.

HEY!— THAT'S GREAT! YOU AND I COULD TEAM UP IN A NEW COMIC... THE TERRIFIC TWO! —AND SAVE MANKIND FROM CRIME, WAR AND THE MONSTER MACHINES!
SAVE MAN FROM THE THINGS HE'S CREATED FOR HIMSELF? THAT'S HIGHLY IMPROBABLE.
I HAVE A BETTER IDEA.


HUH?
YOU REALIZE SOCIAL SYSTEMS ARE YOUR ONLY ANSWER FOR SURVIVAL, YET YOU RESENT AUTHORITY, EVEN SELF IMPOSED.
DON'T WORRY THOUGH... YOUR TROUBLES ARE NEARLY OVER.

I'LL SMASH—
OH YES— MOST OF THE STORIES I READ ABOUT YOU ARE PRETTY INCREDIBLE. THE ONLY PHYSICALLY POSSIBLE WAY YOU COULD SMASH A METAL ROBOT WITH YOUR RIDGE HAND, IS IF A STEEL STRIKING PLATE WERE IMPLANTED IN YOUR ARM AND HAND!... IS IT?

THAT'S A GODDAMNED LIE! — HUH?
C'MON BACK MADA, LET'S TRY SOME MORE TEST'S... MANGLE! WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?

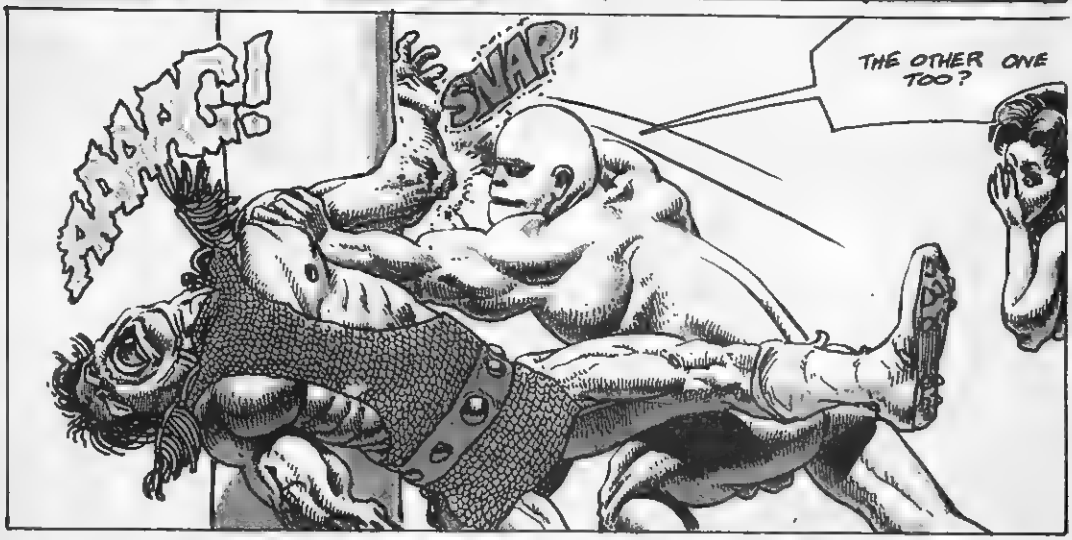
JEELA!
SINCE I'M THE FIRST OF MY RACE, THE ROBOTS AND I WISHED TO SEE IF MY SEXUAL ATTRIBUTES ARE COMPATIBLE TO THE HUMAN SYSTEM.

JEELA HAS BECOME VERY ENTHUSIASTIC SINCE WE BEGAN.

EEEEEEGH!

SNAP

MANGLE, COULD THAT BE A STEEL STRIKING RE-ENFORCEMENT? ... SHAME!
ARRRHHH!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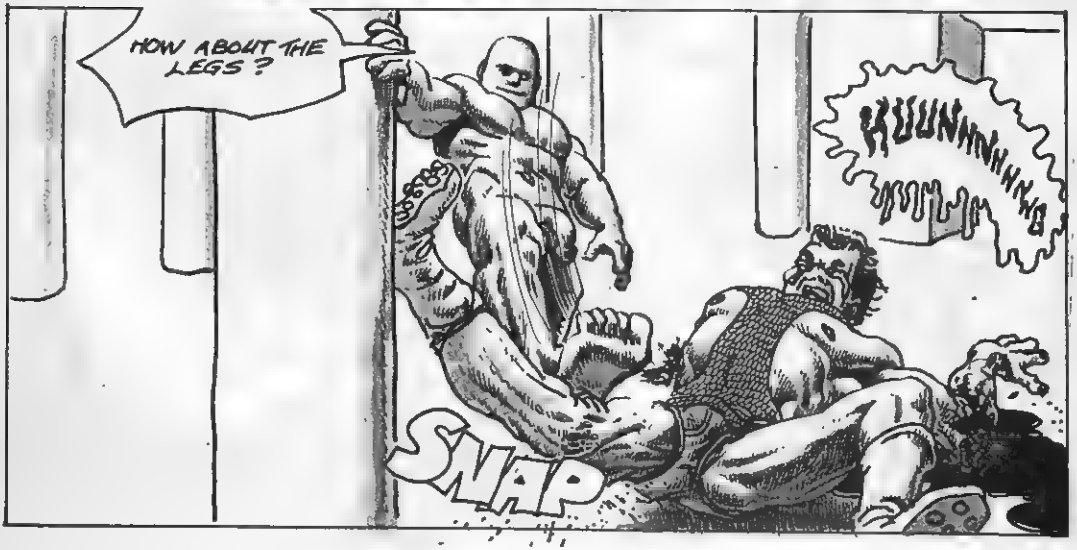
SNAP
THE OTHER ONE TOO?


HOW ABOUT THE LEGS?
KUUNHHHHHHG
SNAP

FOR MY FRIENDS, THE ROBOTS, AND MY OWN PROTECTION. I MUST REMOVE THESE DANGEROUS TOOLS!

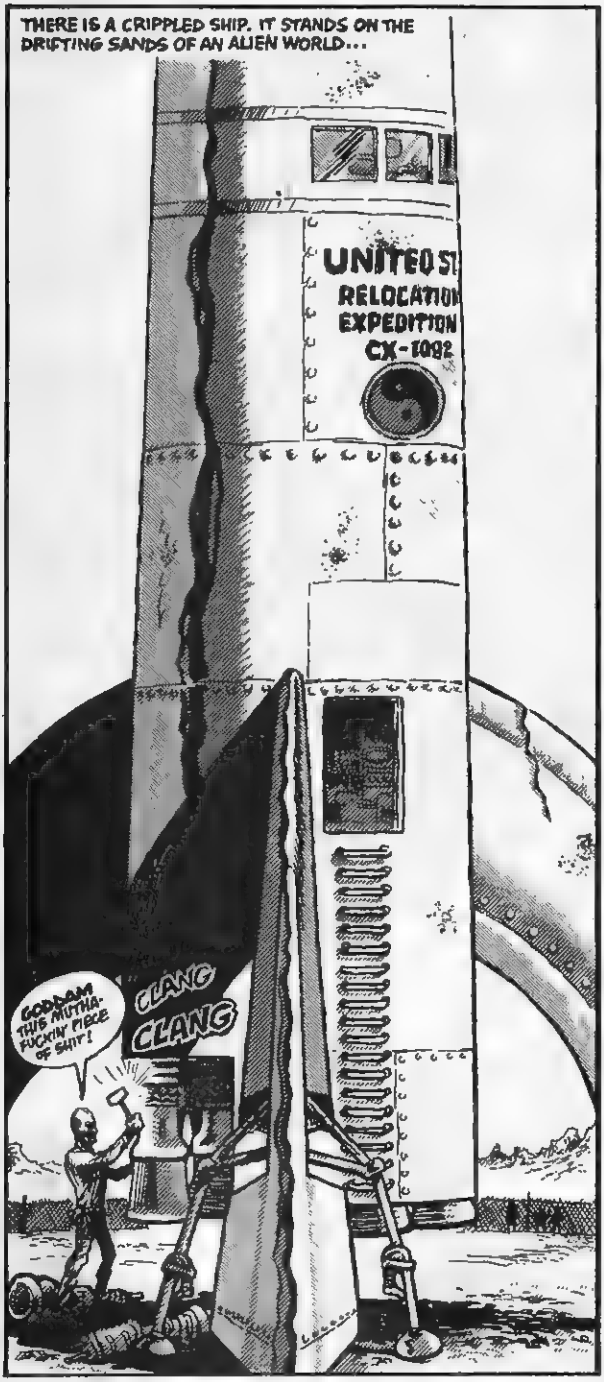
OH MANGLE, I TOLD YOU TO LEAVE THE ROBOTS ALONE, ... THAT THEY'D GET YOU SOMEDAY!
RIP
RRIIP
TEARR
KRAKK
RIP

... UNH... JEELA... WHY ... DIDN'T YA ... EVER ... LET ME HAVE ... UNH... ANY... UNH!

AH, MANGLE OLD BOY, HOW DO YOU FEEL? THE ROBDOCTOR SAVED YOUR LIFE... YOU SHOULD BE GRATEFUL.
WE BROUGHT YOU SOME FLOWERS MANGLE, TO CHEER YOU UP.
... THEY'RE ARTIFICIAL; YOU JUST CAN'T GET REAL ONES.

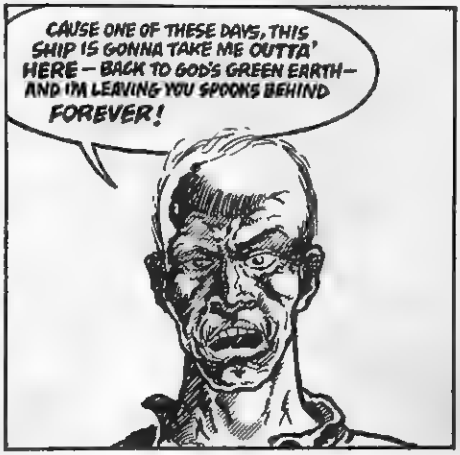
YOU CAN ALSO BE GRATEFUL TO JEELA HERE... SHE CONVINCED ME TO NOT OVERTHROW THE HUMAN RACE. THE ROBOTS AREN'T WORRIED ANY MORE WITH YOU DISARMED (HEH, HEH!). SO JEELA AND I ARE JUST GOING OFF TO HAVE A FUCKING GOOD TIME.
... ACTUALLY THE PLASTIC ONES ARE BETTER, BECAUSE THEY WON'T DIE AND ROT.
THE END

HOMESICK

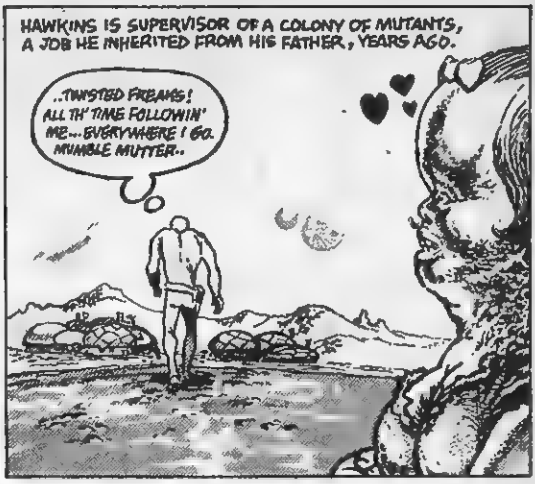

THERE IS A CRIPPLED SHIP. IT STANDS ON THE DRIFTING SANDS OF AN ALIEN WORLD...
UNITED ST
RELOCATION
EXPEDITION
CX-1092
GODDAM THIS MUTHA-FUCKIN' PIECE OF SHIT!
CLANG
CLANG

HEY! BEAT IT, YOU KIDS! SCRAM!

HOW COME YOU AL-WAYS WORKING ON TH' SHIP, HUH, MR. HAWKINS?


CAUSE ONE OF THESE DAYS, THIS SHIP IS GONNA TAKE ME OUTTA' HERE — BACK TO GOD'S GREEN EARTH — AND I'M LEAVING YOU SPOOKS BEHIND FOREVER!

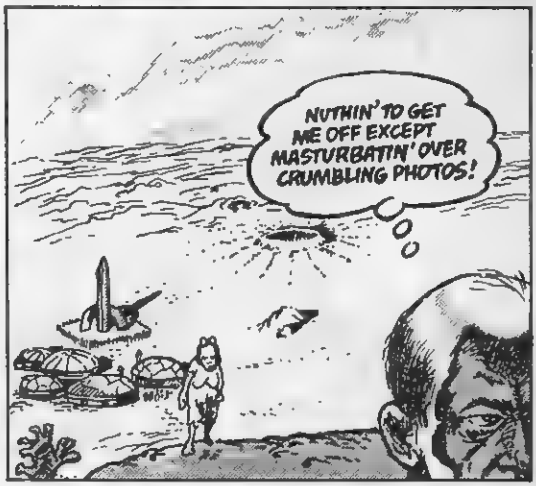
NOW GET OUTTA HERE! YOU KNOW YOU AIN'T SUPPOSED TO BE HANGIN' ROUND THIS FENCE! THAT GOES FOR YOU TOO, MISS AMERICA — GO MAKE EYES AT ONE OF YOUR GEEK SWEETIES!
KEEP OUT
BY ORDER OF SUPERVISOR HAWKINS
NO EXCEPTIONS
SLAM

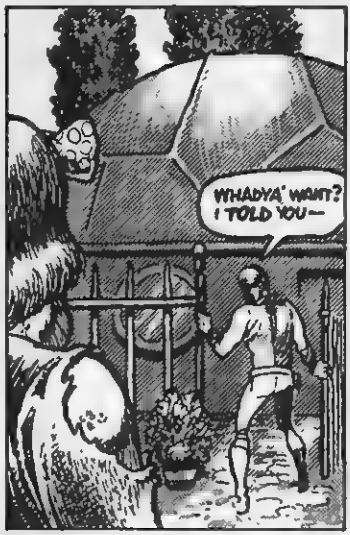

HAWKINS IS SUPERVISOR OF A COLONY OF MUTANTS, A JOB HE INHERITED FROM HIS FATHER, YEARS AGO.
..TWISTED FREAKS! ALL TH' TIME FOLLOWIN' ME... EVERYWHERE I GO. MUMBLE MUTTER..

BUT UNLIKE HIS FATHER, HE DID NOT CHOOSE THE JOB. UNLIKE HIS FATHER, HE HAS NO WOMAN..
MORNIN' MR. HAWKINS
MORNIN' MR. HAWKINS, SIR
MORNIN' MISTER HAWKINS
..DRIVING ME NUTS!
MORNIN' MR. HAWKINS
MORNIN' MR. HAWKINS
MORNIN' MR. HAWKINS

OUTTA MY WAY, BENT-HEAD!

WITHOUT WOMAN, A MAN IS NOTHING — EVEN WHEN HE'S WORSHIPPED AS A GOD ...
CAN'T STAND THE SIGHT OF THESE CRETINS MUCH LONGER


NUTHIN' TO GET ME OFF EXCEPT MASTURBATIN' OVER CRUMBLING PHOTOS!


WHADYA' WANT? I TOLD YOU—

RUB RUB

AHH FUCK!! OK, YOU ASKED FOR IT, CUMON!!

JEEZ, I'D RATHER FUCK SHEEP.... WISH WE HAD SHEEP!
SIGH

WHADYA LOOKIN' AT? GET YER RAGS OFF, SWEETHEART!.... AND DON'T FORGET THIS!

..CAN'T FORGET MY PROTECTION... I AIN'T ABOUT TO MIX MY GENES WITH NO MONGOLOIDS.
GRUNT TUG

GOD FORGIVE.. I..I'M..COMING!
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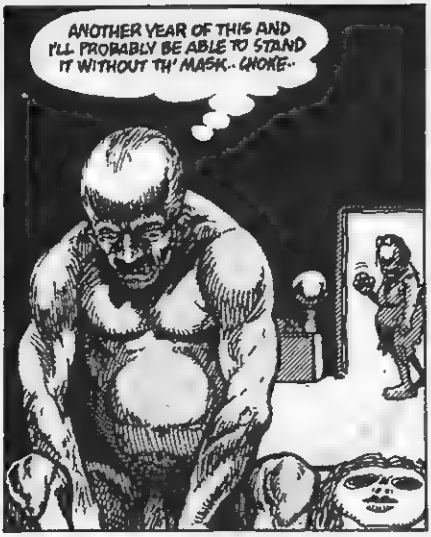
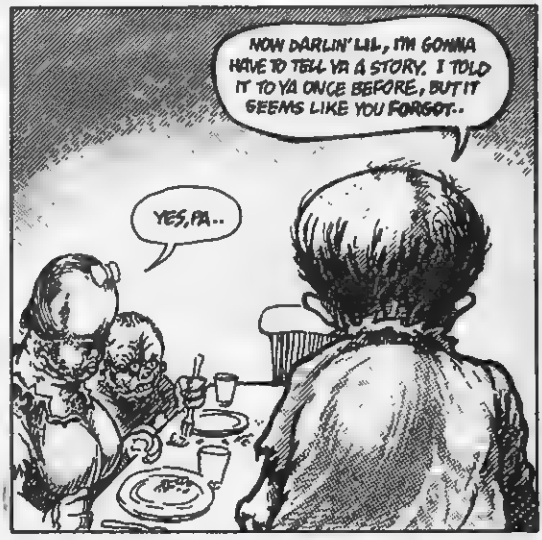

ANOTHER YEAR OF THIS AND I'LL PROBABLY BE ABLE TO STAND IT WITHOUT TH' MASK.. CHOKE..

SOMEBODY SAID THAT YOU WAS UP TO HAWKINS' PLACE TODAY, DARLIN' LIL... PASS TH' BEANS, SON...
GULP
MUNCH MUNCH

IT'S TRUE, PA!!! I SAW HER GO INSIDE WITH MR. HAWKINS!
YOU SHUT YOUR MOUTH, JOHNNY! YOU DON'T KNOW NUTHIN' ABOUT NUTHIN!


NOW DARLIN' LIL, I'M GONNA HAVE TO TELL YA A STORY. I TOLD IT TO YA ONCE BEFORE, BUT IT SEEMS LIKE YOU FORGOT..
YES, PA..

A LONG TIME AGO, BACK ON GOD'S GREEN EARTH, THERE WAS MILLIONS N' MILLIONS OF PEOPLE, AND THEY ALL LOOKED LIKE MR. HAWKINS.

THEY TALKED LIKE HIM TOO, REAL MEAN N' NASTY. ALTHO THEIR BODIES WERE BEAUTIFUL, THEIR SOULS WERE TWISTED WITH POISON N' GREED.

THAT POISON DIDN'T STAY IN THEIR HEARTS. IT CAME SMOKIN' OUT OF THEIR EYES AND MOUTHS UNTIL IT FILLED THE WHOLE EARTH!

TOWARDS THE END OF THE 20th CENTURY, THE DOCTORS FOUND OUT THAT ALL THAT SMOKE N' POISON WAS DOING STRANGE THINGS.

OH GOD, ANOTHER ONE!!

WHEN THE GOVERNMENTS FIGURED OUT WHAT WAS DISTORTIN' SO MANY NEWBORN INFANTS, THEY GOT TO WORK RIGHT AWAY CLEANING UP THE POLLUTION...

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AND THEY GATHERED UP ALL THE MUTANTS AND SHIPPED UM' OFF ACROSS THE STARS TO A PLACE WHERE THEY COULD LIVE WITHOUT DANGER OF CONTAMINATIN' THE GENETIC POOL.

RELOCATION DEPOT

TWO SCIENTESTS WERE SENT TO OBSERVE AND SUPERVISE THE LIFE OF THE MUTANTS. THAT WAS TED AND IRMA HAWKINS, GOD REST THEIR SOULS, FOR THEY WERE BENEVOLENT PEOPLE.

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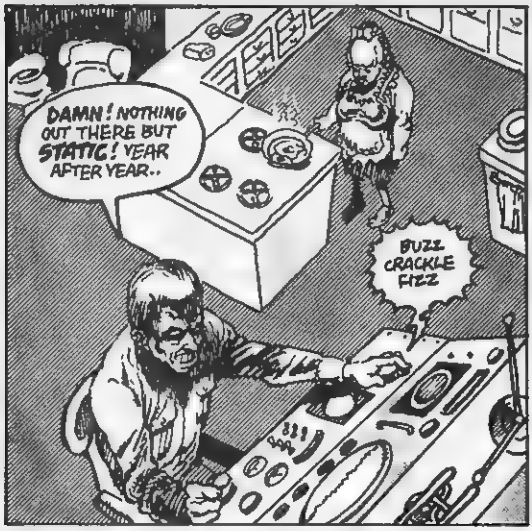
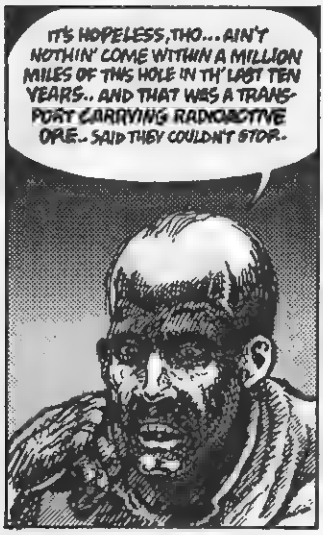
YOU KNOW THE REST, CHILD. THEY HAD A SON, AND THAT BOY GREW UP TO BE LORD N' MASTER OF THIS WORLD, DIFFERENT FROM THEM AS NIGHT N' DAY..

HE AIN'T LIKE US, HONEY. HE'S GOT A BEAUTIFUL BODY, BUT HIS SOUL'S ROTTEN CLEAR THRU!

YES PA— BUT I LOVE HIM!!


DAMN! NOTHING OUT THERE BUT STATIC! YEAR AFTER YEAR..
BUZZ CRACKLE FIZZ

YOUR FOOD, MR. HAWKINS..
YEAH, YEAH, THANKS SWEETHEART.. DID I EVER SHOW YA THIS LITTL' RIG? GOT A TAPE LOOP SENDING OUT DISTRESS SIGNALS ON EVERY CHANNEL... AND THIS HERE SWEEPS TH' DIAL LOOKIN' FOR SIGNALS FROM PASSING SHIPS..

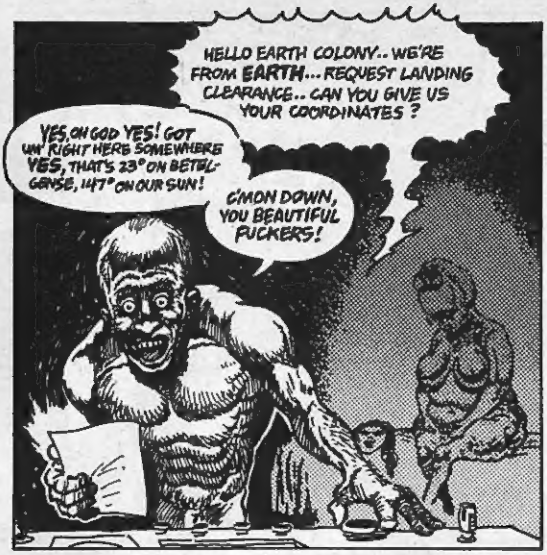

IT'S HOPELESS, THO... AIN'T NOTHIN' COME WITHIN A MILLION MILES OF THIS HOLE IN TH' LAST TEN YEARS.. AND THAT WAS A TRANSPORT CARRYING RADIOACTIVE ORE.. SAID THEY COULDN'T STOP..

JEEZ, SWEETPEA.. YOU'RE A GOOD COOK! TRYIN TA' SOFTEN ME UP FOR A LITTLE AFTER-DINNER SCREWIN', EH?
TEE HEE
PINCH

PANT PANT
SLURSH SCHLISH

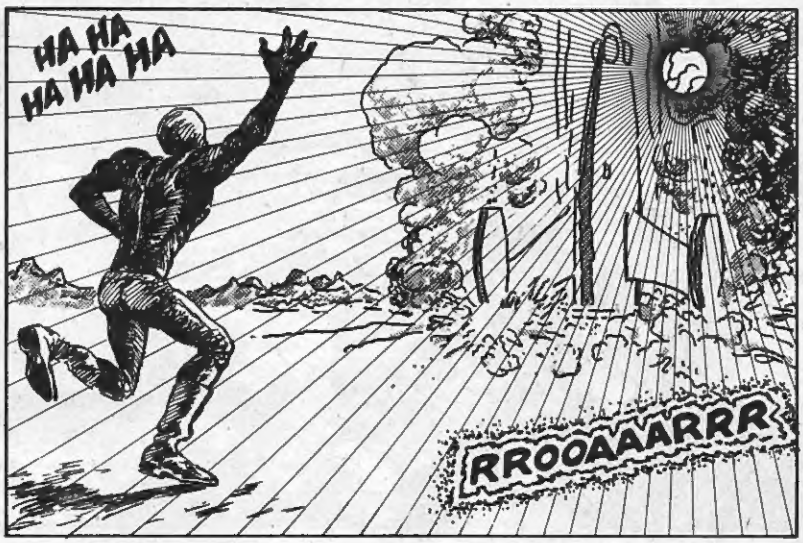
..CRACKLE..HELLO.. BZZZ.. EARTH COLONY... BRZZTT.. ARE YOU THERE.. ..CALLING.. ZZZ.. EARTH COLONY..
MY GOD..

YES, THIS IS HAWKINS! COME IN! COME IN! WHO ARE YOU??
CRACKLE BIZZZTTT


HELLO EARTH COLONY.. WE'RE FROM EARTH... REQUEST LANDING CLEARANCE.. CAN YOU GIVE US YOUR COORDINATES ?
YES, OH GOD YES! GOT UM' RIGHT HERE SOMEWHERE YES, THAT'S 23° ON BETEL-GEUSE, 147° ON OUR SUN!
C'MON DOWN, YOU BEAUTIFUL FUCKERS!

YIPPEE! YOU HEAR THAT?! I'M GETTIN OUT! I'M LEAVING YOU CREEPS BEHIND! HA! HAHAHA

HEAR THEM ENGINES? HAHA, CHECK YA LATER, SWEETPEA—MUCH LATER! HAHA HA HA HA HA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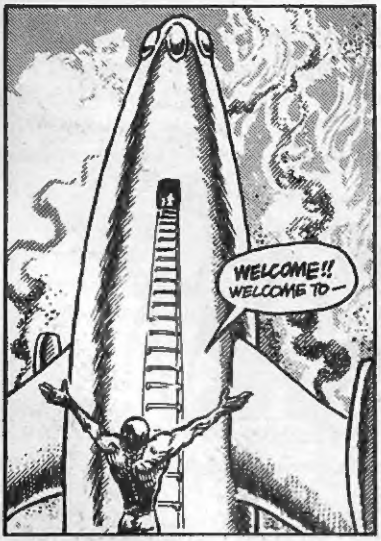
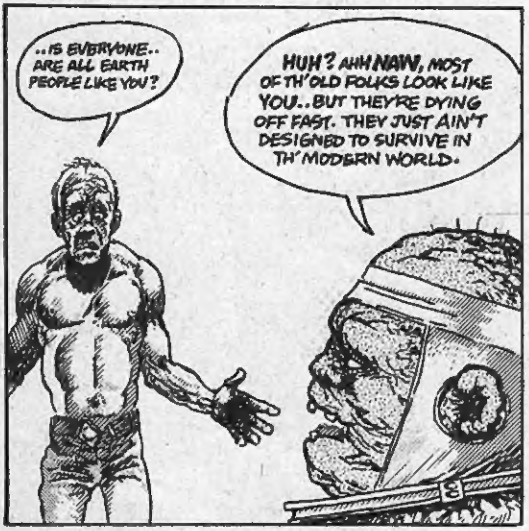
RROOAAARRR


WELCOME!! WELCOME TO—

..TH'..

HEY FELLAS, LOOK! DAMES!!
OH YEAH??



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NAPALM STICKS TO KIDS

We shoot the sick, the young, the lame,
We do our best to kill and mame,
Because the kills all count the same,
Napalm sticks to kids.

Flying low across the trees,
Pilots doing what they please,
Dropping frags on refugees,
Napalm sticks to kids.

Flying low and looking mean,
See that family by the stream,
Drop some nape an hear 'em scream,
Napalm sticks to kids.

A group of gooks in the grass,
But all the fighting's long since past,
Crispy youngsters in a mass,
Napalm sticks to kids.

Drop some napalm on the barn,
It won't do too much harm
Just burn off a leg or arm
Napalm sticks to kids.

Gather kids as you fly over town,
By tossing candy on the ground,
Then grease 'em when they gather round,
Napalm sticks to kids.

Ox cart rolling down the road,
Peasants with a heavy load,
They're all V!C! when the bombs explode,
Napalm sticks to kids.

Cobras flying in the sun,
Killing gooks is macho fun,
If one's pregnant it's two for one,
Napalm sticks to kids.

There's a gook down on her knees
Launch some fleshettes into the breeze,
Her arms are nailed to the trees,
Napalm sticks to kids.

Blues out on a road recon,
See some children with their mom,
What the hell, let's drop the bomb,
Napalm sticks to kids.

CIA with guns for hire
Montagnards around a fire,
Napalm sticks to kids.

A baby sucking on his mother's tit
Children cowering in a pit,
Dow chemical doesn't give a shit,
Napalm sticks to kids.

Eighteen kids in a "no fire zone"
Books under arm as they go home,
Last in line goes home alone,
Napalm sticks to kids.

They're in good shape for the shape they're in.
But I wonder how they win,
With napalm running down their skin,
Napalm sticks to kids.

Thanks very much for all the letters, no room for a do loop letter page or a Slow Death Quiz this time. The cartoon was sent to us by Eric Kimball. The poem was the work of a group of AF and Army GIs assigned to the First Air Cav who sat down one night in a hootch in Nam and wrote a poem. It expressed their bitterness about the things they had done and toward the military that had made them murderers. The poem was first published in the June 71 issue of helping hand; POB 729, Mountain Home, Idaho 83647. Each verse depicts an actual event that at least one of the men participated in.

Other correspondents called for emergency preparedness based on the "bug out system" that SAC base personnel and families use; while one woman from New York suggested that to defuse the population bomb "we should swallow a load so the population won't explode". Keep them cards and letters coming folks; we will print some in the next Slow Death. Back issues of Slow Death available for 65 cents each. Include age statement with each order. Dealer McDope games $7.95 postpaid. Send to Baba Ron Turner, Editor, Slow Death Funnies, PO Box 212, Berkeley, Ca 94704.

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